



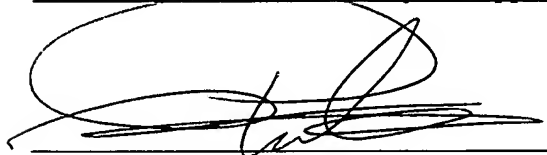
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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 5, 2005 for which a response is due July 5, 2005, the applicant responds as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Cancel claims 1-7

**REMARKS**

The Examiner rejected claims 1-7 under 35 U.S.C. § 101 as claiming the same invention as that of claims 1-7 of prior United States Patent No. 6,626,448. The Examiner also advised that claims 8-14 were allowable.

Based upon the Examiner's "Response to Arguments" set forth in paragraph 3 of the Office Action, the applicant has cancelled claims 1-7 from the present application. The